

Potomac State College Social Club



Spring Banquet

1983

POTOMAC STATE COLLEGE SOCIAL CLUB

SPRING BANQUET

honoring

POLAND ELLIS

HELEN M. HARTMAN

and

IRENE B. HARTMAN

UPON THEIR RETIREMENT FROM THE COLLEGE

POTOMAC MOTEL

Keyser, West Virginia

April 15, 1983

P R O G R A M

WELCOME

Pete Paulson

INVOCATION

Jack Conrad

DINNER

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

TESTIMONIALS

**Poland Ellis
Retirement**

Stanley Daw

**Helen Hartman
Retirement**

Faye Beams

**Irene Hartman
Retirement**

Allen Murphy

REMARKS

**James L. McBee, Jr.
Executive Dean of the College**



The Social Club also thanks and gives a congratulatory hand to Poland G. Ellis, who is retiring after more than 10 years of service to Potomac State College.

Poland is a native of Westernport, Md. He was graduated from high school in 1935 and is a veteran of World War II.

He was employed as manager of our Pub in March of 1973, and was later transferred to the Maintenance Department. He was assigned as Custodian II in the Student Union in 1975, which position he has held until his retirement.

Prior to his employment at the college, he was manager of the Rosemont Restaurant from 1959-1970. He also owned and operated a homemade candy and bake shop on Main Street in Keyser from 1970 until 1972.

Poland is married to the former Harlene Kay Kelly who is employed at the college, and they reside in the Fountain area. They are parents of one son, Paul, at home. Poland also has two daughters by a previous marriage, Delora DiMarino and Connie Strother and six grandchildren.



Closing out twenty-seven years of service to Potomac State is Mrs. Helen (Graham) Hartman. A native of Piedmont and a graduate of that high school in 1944, she received an Associate in Arts degree from Potomac State in 1946.

She has served as secretary to five administrators at the college: the late Dean K. S. McKee, 1946-47 and 1957 to 1963; Dean and later President Todd H. Bullard, 1964 to 1970; Dean

Harold C. Doster, 1970 to 1973; Dean A. G. Slonaker, 1973 to 1977, and the current Executive Dean Dr. James L. McBee, Jr. She has also worked for the late Dean James T. Handlan and Dean Douglas A. Harrington, who served as interim administrative heads. From 1948 to 1957 she was employed in the Mineral County Sheriff's Office.

When Mrs. Hartman joined the staff in 1946, she was one of two secretaries, the other being the late Gertrude S. Stanhagen. Helen has always enjoyed her work and viewed it as a hobby.

She is a charter member and currently treasurer of the Keyser Tennis Club. She was formerly active in Eta Upsilon Gamma and Beta Sigma Phi sororities, being a past president of both organizations. She has also served as president of the PSC Social Club and has typed programs for that group for many years.

She and her husband, Jack M. Hartman, assistant dean for student affairs, reside at 125 State Street.



Tonight we honor Mrs. Irene (Brown) Hartman upon her retirement after thirty years of service to the college.

Irene joined the staff in the fall of 1953 as an instructor in commerce. Her abilities have been recognized through the achievement of a full professorship in 1975 and as unit coordinator, formerly a department chairperson, for many years.

"Brownie" came to us from Beaver, Pa. She was graduated from Geneva College, Beaver Falls, Pa., and earned her master's degree from the University of Pittsburgh. She taught four years at Midland (Pa.) High School before joining our faculty.

For many years she was co-advisor of Eta Upsilon Gamma Sorority and a member of the Academic Standards Committee on campus. Indeed, her committee work alone would fill a page.

She is a past-president of Tri-State Business Education Association and of the National Secretaries Association in Cumberland. She holds a life membership in NEA, maintains membership in the West Virginia Education Association and served for several years as Secretary of the W. Va. Association of Higher Education. She has been the Potomac State College representative to the Board of Regents Faculty Advisory Council since the establishment of this position in 1976.

A member of the Keyser Presbyterian Church, she serves as secretary and member of the Board of Deacons and sings in the choir.

She is a member of Delta Kappa Gamma, honorary for women in education, the American Association of University Women, and works with Highland Arts Unlimited. She is listed in WHO'S WHO OF AMERICAN WOMEN and PERSONALITIES OF THE SOUTH.

In July of 1976, she became the wife of Capt. Herbert J. Hartman, USN Ret., a former member of our engineering faculty.

An inveterate traveler, she has set foot on six of the world's seven continents, and now she and Herb will have time to visit the one remaining, the Antarctica.

In recent years they toured Europe in 1981 where they attended the Oberammergau (Germany) Passion Play, performed once every ten years, visited China, Hong Kong, and the Philippines in 1981, and traveled through the islands of Greece in 1982.

SOCIAL CLUB OFFICERS

President	Pete Paulson
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Flower Chairwoman	Joann Shimer
Executive Committee	Thelma O'Connor
	Douglas Harrington

SPECIAL THANKS TO

Kenneth Haines
Don Starcher

A ROSTER OF THOSE WHO HAVE SERVED POTOMAC STATE COLLEGE
FOR TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OR MORE

*Ida Menefee	1902-1934
*William D. Anthony	1913-1946
*Rebecca Z. Carroll	1924-1966
*Ernest Kissinger	1935-1970
*Dana G. Lough	1935-1970
*Gertrude S. Stanhagen	1935-1973
Ernest E. Church	1936-1963
*Kirkland S. McKee	1936-1963
Ervin L. Dayton	1937-1970
*Nancy M. Miller	1937-1967
*Isabella R. Clifford	1938-1970
David G. Nuzum	1938-1977
Mary F. Shipper Byrer	1938-1973
Albert O. Willhide	1938-1943
	1945-1972
Elizabeth Atwater Alexander	1939-1978
Leonard G. Withers	1939-1973
*James T. Handlan, Jr.	1942-1977
*Walter A. Jaworek	1942-1972
*Viola U. Lough	1943-1970
Leontine B. Nuzum	1943-1973
*Walter H. Boone	1943-1972
Helen C. Criner	1946-1978
Paul F. Iverson	1946-1975
William E. Michael	1946-1979
Dewey V. Rotruck	1946-1982
Richard A. Smith	1946-
Allen E. Murphy	1948-
Raymond H. Tasker	1949-
Kenneth F. Haines	1952-
Albert A. Strother	1952-1979
*Rosie L. Wilson	1952-1979
Irene B. Hartman	1953-1983
Alan H. Paine	1954-1982
Thelma L. O'Connor	1955-
*Marion B. Fallon	1950-1956
	1962-1983
Wayman D. Hoalcraft	1956-
Helen M. Hartman	1946-1947
	1957-1983
Oscar H. Gustafson	1956-
Virginia E. Johnson	1957-
Elizabeth P. Hanlin	1957-1982

*Deceased

